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O. R. LUDEWIG SCORES CITY COUNCIL AT CHARTER MEETING

U.S. Officers Arrest Salesman

W. J. EARL IS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY ON GRAVE CHARGE

W. J. Earle, a suave and debonaire, salesman, claiming to represent the Pacific States Savings and Loan company, with offices at the Hotel Glen, 521 Macdonald avenue was arrested at Antioch yesterday afternoon on a Federal Grand Jury indictment charging him with making fraudulent sales of land in the Oregon and California railroad land grant.

Earl is said to be one of eight members of the so-called "Greer Ring" which is said to have netted between $135,000 and $200,000 from their deals.

Mrs. M. J. Shaw, manager of the Hotel Glenn, speaking of the departure of Earl and his wife from this city said today that "they had left between January 25 and 28 with the intention of going to Pittsburg, Contra Costa county."

According to Mrs. Shaw, Earl was planning to return here.

Although making his headquarters in this city, Earl quite often went to Martinez where he intedded as he stated to open new territory.

Almost at the same time Earl was taken into custody, Gottlieb Miller, a poolroom owner was arrested by Federal officers at Portland, Ore.

Robert Greer, said to be the leader of the ring cannot be located.

Following the arrest of Earl last night, Federal officials made public the names of the other five members. They are, William F. Hallowell, Seattle, W. F. Lick, Dillon, George K.Young, Spokane; C. W. Chapman, and E. F. Cooper. The latter two are reported dead.

Earl was taken into custody by Deputy United States Marshall Thomas Mulhall. He waived preliminary hearing and will be taken immediately to Oregon.

CLEVER VIOLIN RECITAL WILL BE GIVEN BY GIRL MUSICIAN

Miss Amelia Maytorena, violinist of note, who will give a recital at the Richmond clubhouse March 23.

A violin and piano recital will be held at the Richmond clubhouse on the evening of March 23 by Miss Amelia Maytorena, talented violinist of the bay cities.

Miss Maytorena has studied under some of the most noted California and eastern music masters and her playing is regarded as exceptional by critics who have attended former recitals.

Tickets for the recital will be placed on sale at the Ferguson drug store and the Cozy Candy store on the west side.

BIG PARADE

President Allen T. Baum of the Pacific Coast League consented this afternoon to lead the baseball parade Tuesday, March 13, at which time the Richmond Elks meet the Chicago White Sox. Mayor Garrard will pitch the first ball and Baum will receive it.

SHARKEY SAYS RICHMOND IS TRYING TO PUT "ONE OVER"

SACRAMENTO, March 9.—A Contra Costa county "division fight" has found its way into the State Legislature, according to Senator William R. Sharkey of Martinez. He says he has uncovered a proposed bill that will enable the Richmond end of the county to inaugurate a campaign to split the county in twain.

THREAT TO DIVIDE.

For years this has been threatened. Richmond has advocated the plan with the growth of population and industrial life. The other end of the county has opposed it.

COUNTY SPLIT.

Now, says Senator Sharkey, the Richmondites have attempted to "put one over" on his constituents by seeking to modify the existing law providing the methods under which elections may be held for county division.

SECTIONS TAKEN OUT

The existing law provides that no county with less than 1200 square miles may be divided. This section is eliminated from the amended bill. The law now provides for the calling of an election in a proposed new county on the petition of 65 per cent of the registered voters and of not less than 50 per cent of the voters in the old territory.

VOTE CHANGED

The proposed measure changes this to 60 per cent in the new territory and makes no petition necessary in the old territory.

Under the proposed amendments, division may be effected on a vote of 30 per cent of the people in the old territory and 60 per cent in the new, reducing the figure from 50 per cent in the old and increasing it 5 per cent in the new.

LAST MINUTE NEWS

AUTOPSY VERDICT

An autopsy performed on William Kelly, found dead beside his bed at the Golden Gate hotel a few nights ago at the Smallwood Undertaking parlors last night showed death to have resulted from lumbar pneumonia. Dr. U. S. Abbott performed the autopsy. Kelly was 66 years of age.

GERMANS ARRESTED

Two German workmen from the Peoples Water company dam at San Pablo giving their names as Patrick O'Brien and Frank Mulligan were arrested in this city last night for drunkeness and ordered out of town by Police Judge Hiram Jacobs today.

MURPHY SOME GUY

Lawrence Murphy had a plan for beating the high cost of living and he might have won out had not the police interfered. Murphy would go into vegetable stores and take one onion at a time which he would exchange for a glass of beer. He made the exchange in two saloons but got into a heated argument in the third, causing his arrest.

LENT SERVICE

Rev. B. J. Davis, of Berkeley will this evening preside at the special Lenten services to be held at Trinity Episcopal church. The services will start at 7:45 o'clock.

Otto R. Ludewig, progressive businesshan of this city who last evening at a meeting of citizens at the Lincoln school flayed the tardy tactics of Richmond city officials for not interesting themselves in the new city charter.

LAXITY SCORED BY GRAND JURY IN ITS REPORT

(Special to Record-Herald)

MARTINEZ, March 9.—Here are some of the things which are wrong with Contra Costa according to Loveridge Grand Jury in its annual report filed yesterday. They follow:

Flagrant violation of county gambling ordinance by roadhouses.

District Attorney should not ask for so many indictments. He should be invested with enough facts to know whether any certain case warranted a further probe of the matter.

Lack of harmony amongst county officials has resulted in inefficient methods of accounting.

A crying need for a board of control.

Road facilities poor. Board endorses plan for more and better roads.

Concrete road through San Pablo canyon urged.

Sheriff should work prisoners on county road.

Janitor service at courthouse is poor.

County should own and maintain own autos for all departments. This way cut down expense accounts.

Ask removal of pest house.

Officials find too much for "junketing" trips, attending fraternal affairs and doing politics at Sacramento and elsewhere when they should be looking after the needs of the people.

In closing the Grand Jury says as a word of warning to the wise:

"We are fully aware when making this report that former grand juries after careful and conscientious service have been lightly heard in these matters and disregarded by headstrong officials. This we believe can be obviated to some extent by certain members of a former grand jury so that each new body may be more familiar with work of the past."

DAMAGE SUIT IS LOST BY LOCAL PAVING COMPANY

MARTINEZ, March 9.—T. H. DeLap's fight for a non-suit in favor of his client R. H. Downer, the Richmond contractor who is being sued by John Bracco for $25,000 damages was lost yesterday afternoon when Judge A. B. McKenzie denied the motion. Bracco charges that negligence on the part of Downer in leaving a ditch-digging machine in the street was responsible for the death of Bracco's wife who was killed when a runaway horse collided with the machine.

DEMANDS FAIR PLAY FROM OFFICIALS REGARDING NEW CHARTER; WINS APPLAUSE

Richmond must have a new city charter, if it is to grow.

This was made clear at a discussion of the proposed new charter, to be voted on April 3, at the Lincoln school last night.

The present system of the city council meeting once a week and skimming over a quantity of business in harum-skarum fashion, was shown to be obsolete and a detriment to the city.

Certain alleged flaws in the new document, as reported found by Attorney W. H. H. Hart, a resident of Palo Alto were commented on as "pure bunk" by Attorney W. J. Locke, an expert as to the workings of a municipality, whose services were rendered to the Board of Freeholders in preparing the new charter.

LOCKE SHOWS NEED OF CHARTER.

Attorney Locke, showed the need for a new charter in this city if the people of Richmond ever wish the town to grow and expand.

Certain allegations made against the new charter by Attorney Hart as to the matter of boundaries were shown to be unfounded, by similar clauses from the Los Angeles charter, Springfield, Ill., Napa charter and several other municipal documents recently prepared.

Locke stated he had discussed the new Richmond charter with soem if the prominent attorneys about the bay district, including M. J. Sharpstein, legal advisor for the Board of Freeholders who prepared the charter for the city of Tacoma and all stated this city to have a remarkably well arranged charter.

CITES EASTERN CITY CHARTER.

Locke, cited the adoption by the people of Springfield, Ill., of the new charter for that city in which no specific boundaries were given and which has been declared to be one of the most perfect in the United States by National League of Municipalities.

"There is nothing defective in the new charter because all powers are not enumerated" stated Locke. "It is much better to have a charter containing a blanket clause regarding various public service improvements than to have one which specifies them, because this continually leads to litigation."

Locke's contention in this matter was strengthened by A. C. Lang, who had issisted in preparing the new charter, and who contended a city to be much better off with a blanket clause relating to all kinds of public improvements.

CHARTER AHEAD OF ANY IN STATE.

"In my opinion" stated Locke, "Richmond's charter is one of the best in this state. Its new manner of government will put the handling of the affairs for the city on an efficient basis. The city has reached a size at present where it can no longer cling to the antiquated methods of its former government and must adopt new ideas to handle its steady growth."

HARLOW FAVORS NEW CHARTER.

E. H. Harlow, master mechanic of the Santa Fe car shops in this city, a member of the Board of Education and pioneer resident of Richmond stated that the Board of Freeholders should be complimented for having prepared such an excellent document.

LUDEWIG EXPLAINS CHARTER'S STANDING

O. R. Ludewig, businessman and former city councilman, who has urged the adoption of the new city charter for the welfare of this city startled those present at the meeting last night when he said: "There is something queer amongst the present city officials with regard to their stand against the new charter."

Attorney Hart, and I have the utmost respect for these gentlemen, because of his age, has made certain detrimental statements against the new charter, when as a matter of fact he is not a resident of this city. "As I understand it Mr. Hart has been secured to oppose the new charter by certain interests which are working against the city.

"It was only today that our city attorney promised me he would be present at this meeting and make public what objections he has to the new charter but he has not shown up. This is rather unfortunate as he claims to be so busy.

"I know that what opposition there is against the new charter is being done secretly and underhandedly but I would like to see the new charter given fair play and I think if the voters of the city will go to the city clerk's office and secure a copy of it there will be no doubt as to their voting for it.

"It is the intention of the majority of our present city officers to oppose the new charter. There is much being done on the quiet to keep the public from knowing about the charter so that when they go to the polls on elecion day they will not be able to vote intelligently.

"I only hope the people awake in time to see the merits of the new charter.

"At that private meeting in the Elks club several nights ago, Attorney Hart was backed up in his statements against the new charer by our city attorney and now tonight when the matter can be explained to both these men, they do not show up. That does not seem to me as if they were giving the charter fair play."

Attorney Dan Barton, spoke favorably of the new city charter.

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A GERMAN-AMERICAN IMBECILE

The private in Company "L," First Minnesota infantry, who addressed a letter to relatives in Germany stating that ten million German-Americans would fight with the Fatherland against the United States in the event of war, deserved a sentence to Federal servitude for his reckless degredation of his fellow-countrymen. Moreover, there was not a word of truth in his suggestion; German-Americans will measure up in loyalty with the naturalized citizens of any nation, and should unhappy war be declared Germany will find little comfort from such assurances as are credited to this Minnesota infantryman.

It is very likely true that as between Germany and Russia or Germany and England or Germany and France German-Americans sympathize with their native land, and if they did not they would be unworthy of it as well as of the country of their adoption. That is vastly different, however, from a war between Germany and the United States. In that event the instinct of self-preservation would be asserted, for no race resident in this country has accumulated property holdings in larger proportion than the Germans. These gains have come to them from persevering industry and calculated frugality, qualities which make them highly desirable citizens.

Among the towns and cities in Canada which sent large delegations of young men to the French front is a little community of 6000 called Berlin. It is in the province of Ontario and is nearly wholly populated by thrifty German families. When the war eventuated there was considerable speculation to the course lekely to be taken by this little city. Very quickly, however, did they take up arms under the British flag against their native land, and statistics show that they sent a larger proportion of their young men to the firing line than any other town of like population in the Dominion. It would be precisely the same in this country; the Germans would flock to the standards of the land of their adoption, standing side by side with native-born Americans in defense of the national colors.

It is true that the country is seething with German spies plotting and conspiring against the United States, and that the German government has paid out millions of dollars for their services. It is also true that German-Americans were involved in the effort to pit Japan and Mexico against us, but it is not true that the vast majority of German-Americans sympathize with these triguers who have forfeited every claim to citizenship and to the respect of liberty-loving Americans. These undesirables whose unmasking now seems certain will meet the fate they deserve and for which doubtless the average German-American citizen is hoping. Let there be no mistake about the attitude of the foreign-born citizen of any race or nationality, for suspicion is not only unjust but breeds disloyalty and intrigue, hence should be carefully avoided in the expression of private or public opinion.

So far the only thing said against Carranza's new ambassador to the U. S. A. is that he speaks English with a Boston accent.

HAS FOUND WHAT PONCE DE LEON SOUGHT

Dr. Stephen Smith, Dean of New York Surgeons and one of the men to whom the citizens of the metropolis are under everlasting obligations for good sanitation, celebrated his 94th birthday last week, says Commerce and Finance.

Long ago he found the spring of eternal youth. It is "work, taken daily in big doses." It's great, he says, the greatest exhilarator in the world. Recently he has had a mean attack of the grip but he is about well again and eager to return to work on his new book. "The History of Surgery," to which he has devoted six hours a day for quite some time.

Dr. Smith was born in Skaneteles, N. Y., in 1823. He was resident surgeon of Bellevue Hospital in 1815. He served as surgeon in the Civil War and he helped establish Bellevue Medical College, where he lectured for forty consecutive years. For the last fifty years he has worked on perfecting the health laws of New York. One of the things he glories in is the reduction of the city's death rate from thirty-eight per 1000 to fourteen.

What a fine thing it is to see an old man with the fires of life still bright. How many more of these sturdy soldiers there are than we imagine!

A few weeks ago in response to a telephone call a physician called upon a lady who was ill in a Washington Spuare hotel. The physician was bald, ruddy, positive. He read a lecture to that lady that she almost got angry with him for delivering. Then he collected $5 for his visit and departed. The simple things he prescribed for that woman did more good for her than all the medicines she has taken in many years.

The bald, ruddy physician looks to be about seventy. He is eighty-nine going on ninety and he trots around making his daily calls as he did sixty years ago.

There is a movement on foot in Washington to change the date of inaugurating the president of the United States from the 4th of March until the weather becomes warmer. According to the dispatches President Wilson is now in bed as a result of a severe cold contracted during his ride in a slow moving procession from the White House to the capitol building and back. Wonder that among all the wise men of the Nation nobody ever thought of this before. Usually these ceremonies take place in a blinding rain or snow storm, thus endangering the lives of all who participate. The people of the country surely will have no objection.

It is said that the United States has solved the problem of the German U-boat menace and that this government will have nothing to fear from this source in considering the German situation. The people of the nation will be glad to hear of this—if it is true.

Henary Ford says the government can have his entire plant in the event of war. Perhaps Mr. Bryan will enlist.

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1st. That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on real property will be due and payable on the

Third Monday in October,

1916, and will be delinquent on the

First Monday in December

next thereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and if said one-half be not paid before the

Last Monday in April, 1917

at six o'clock p. m., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. The remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January,

1917, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April,

next thereafter, at six o'clock p m., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

2d. That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

3d. That payment of taxes must be made at the office of the Tax Collector, in the town of Martinez.

M. W. JOOST.
Tax Collector of Contra Costa County.

ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

1917

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

All persons, firms, companies, corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's Office, Martinez, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian, on

FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1917

in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement, to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the Assessor's office or at the Richmond Branch of the County Assessor's office, 420 Macdonald avenue.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the first day of May, 1917.

G. O. MEESE
County Assessor
J. O. FORD
Deputy at Richmond
Mar. 1 to June 1.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE WHY DECREE OF SPECIFIC PERFORMANCE UNDER CONTRACT OF DECEDENT TO CONVEY REALTY, SHOULD NOT BE MADE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA.

In the matter of the estate of MARGARET GAVIN, Deceased. No. 3956. Dept. 1.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that D. J. Gavin, administrator of the above entitled estate, has heretofore filed his verified petition in this court, wherein it appears that one Abraham Hamm is entitled to the specific performance of a contract made with him by said D. J. Gavin, and thereafter assigned by said D. J. Gavin to said Margaret Gavin, deceased, during her lifetime, to convey certain real estate hereinafter particularly described, and which said petition contains the terms and conditions of said contract, and wherein said petitioner D. J. Gavin prays for an order requiring him as administrator to execute to said Abraham Hamm a conveyance of said real property; and thereafter the above entitled court appointed the 2nd day of April, 1917, and the court room of said court, at Martinez, in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, as the time and place for the hearing on said petition, and that notice thereof be published in the manner required by law.

NOW THEREFORE, all persons interested in said contract or the making of said conveyance, or in any of the matters involved in said hearing, are hereby notified to appear at the time and place above mentioned, to show cause why said conveyance should not be made as prayed for in said petition.

Said real property is situated in the County of Tulare, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

The South half of the South three-fourths of Lot Twenty-two (22) of Level Orchard Land Colony, as per plat now on file and of record in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Tulare, State of California.

Dated this 1st day of March, 1917.

D. J. GAVIN,
Administrator of the Estate of Margaret Gavin, Deceased.
T. H. DeLAP,
Attorney for Administrator.
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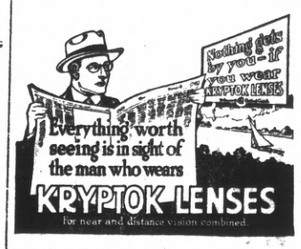

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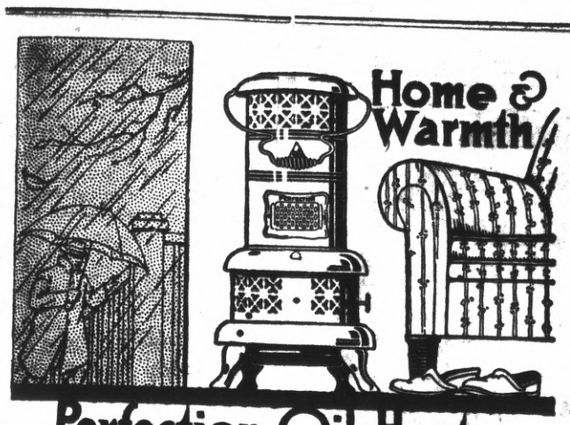

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COMING EVENTS

MARCH 9—Maccabees party in Pulse Hall, for members only.

MARCH 9—Whist party by Central Labor Council and C. C. Building Trades council at Labor Temple. Score cards 25 cents.

MARCH 10—Redmen Grand Ball at East Shore Park.

MARCH 10—Contra Costa Tempie, Pythian Sisters Whist and dancing party in Pythian Castle. Score cards 10 cents.

MARCH 13—is a Tuesday—not a Friday—Cubs here that day.

MARCH 17—Sixth annual ball of Richmond Institute, Y. L. I. and Burke Council, Y. M. I. at East Shore Park.

VISITS HERE

J. T. Carr of Riverbank and well known Santa Fe engineer is visiting with relatives on the west side for a few days.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY

(Incorporated in California)

NOTICE OF INTENDED REMOVAL AND CHANGE OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS OF THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on and after the tenth day of April, 1917, the principal place of business of the Standard Oil company, a corporation created under the laws of the State of California, will be removed and changed from the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, where said principal place of business is now situated, to the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, the consent thereto in writing of the holders of more than two-thirds of the capital stock of said Standard Oil company having been obtained and filed in the office of said corporation.

Dated: Richmond, California, March 8th, 1917.

STANDARD OIL CO.
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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES AND NEWS

POSITIONS SECURED BY STUDENTS

Mr. Madson of the Commercial department announces that Elizabeth Ernst a student in the department has been given a position in the office of Keuffer & Company real estate dealers.

Some weeks ago Edna Moore went into the office of City Architect J. T. Narbett, as a general office assistant.

The Commercial department is demonstrating more and more the fact that it fills a real need in the community. Calls are constantly coming in for young people to fill positions in the local business firms and the results of employing High School Commercial graduates have been so uniformly satisfactory that the demand can hardly be met.

SPANISH CLUB

A meeting of the Spanish club organized by Miss Merey was held Wednesday. Interesting reports on Argentina given in Spanish, by members of the club were:

Natural Characteristics of the Country .....Orene Totten.
History and Government .... Marguret Collins.
Important Cities ... Wilma Miller.
Characteristics of the People .....Helen Cowan.
The Campos and Gauchos (Herdsmen) .....Elwood Johnson
Chief Industries Hazel McRacken
Railroads ... Lurline Hitchcock

The reports were followed by views of Argentina shown by means of the radiograph. Errol Lane and Gerald Follett conducted this part of the program.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The annual election of officers of the Alumni Association will take place at a meeting to be held at the High School on Saturday evening, March 10th. At this meeting plans will be started for the annual Senior dance.

MERCHANT HONORED WITH JOLLY PARTY

Charles T. Walker, of the firm of Jones and Adkison, dry goods merchants, was tendered a surprise party by Miss Hannah Iversen at her home 1328 Nevin avenue Wednesday evening. A musical program took up the evening, followed with the serving of refreshments. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Pulse, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. G. Yonce, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lamoine, Mr. and Mrs. A. Christensen, Hiram E. Jacobs, Carl Lamoine, Frank Mello, Chas. T. Walker, Miss Lottie Marshall, Miss Ilva Standiford and Miss Bodel Iverson.

Jump from Bed in Morning and Drink Hot Water

Tells why everyone should drink hot water each morning before breakfast.

Why is man and woman, half the time, feeling nervous, despondent, worried; some days headachy, dull and unstrung; some days really incapacitated by illness.

If we all would practice inside-bathing, what a gratifying change would take place. Instead of thousands of half-sick, anaemic-looking souls with pasty, muddy complexions we should see crowds of happy, healthy, rosy-cheeked people everywhere. The reason is that the human system does not rid itself each day of all the waste which it accumulates under our present mode of living. For every ounce of food and drink taken into the system nearly an ounce of waste material must be carried out, else it ferments and forms ptomaine-like poisons which are absorbed into the blood.

Just as necessary as it is to clean the ashes from the furnace each day, before the fire will burn bright and hot, so we must each morning clear the inside organs of the previous day's accumulation of indigestible waste and body toxins. Men and women, whether sick or well, are advised to drink each morning, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, as a harmless means of washing out of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the indigestible material, waste, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Millions of people who had their turn at constipation, bilious attacks acid stomach, nervous days and sleepless nights have become real cranks about the morning inside-bath. A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will not cost much at the drug store, but is sufficient to demonstrate to anyone, its cleansing, sweetening and freshening effect upon the system.

SURPRISE PARTY TENDERED TO MR. AND MRS. CARR AT THEIR HOME LAST EVENING

A very pleasant surprise was tendered to Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Carr at 617 19th St. by Mrs. W. R. McNally and their many friends, yesterday. A pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by all. Refreshment were served by Mrs. McNally assisted by Mrs. J. Gilmore and Mrs. J. A. Craig. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Carr; Mrs. J. C. Leber, Mrs. J. B. DeBarrows, Mrs. E. E. Woodworth, Mrs. H. Bowles, Mrs. C. Dorstewitz, Mrs. W. F. Bauman, Mrs. W. H. Doolittle, Mrs. C. Zamlock, Mrs. Mary DeLong, Mrs E. C. Bledsoe, Mrs. A. R. Crockett, Mrs. W. K. Stieter, Mrs. T. W. Nerton, Mrs. Geo. Dreyspring, Mrs. Jas. Gilmore, Mrs. Geo. Chippendale, Mrs. Joseph Snelling, Mrs. M. Yocum, Mrs. F. Nathan, Mrs. F. W. Hillengras, Mrs. S. Herd, Mrs. D. Foudy, Mrs. W. R. McNally, Miss S. Doolittle, Miss R. McNally, Miss. Z. Gilmore, and Miss E. Yocum.

MRS. CLINTON SMITH MUSIC RECITAL TONIGHT

Several hundred music lovers of this city, who have received invitations, will gather at the Richmond clubhouse this evening to hear the musical recital of Mrs. Clinton B. Smith, wife of C. B. Smith, senior member of the clothing firm of Smith and Crane, 617 Macdonald avenue.

Mrs. Smith is regarded as a very talented soloist and her appearance in this city is to be greatly appreciated. She was a soloist in the 17th Avenue Methodist church in New York city for five years and later as city for five years and later associated with the Century Opera company directed by Walter Damroch.

STOP CATARRH! OPEN NOSTRILS AND HEAD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Relieves Head-Colds at Once.

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed and you can't breathe freely because of a cold or catarrh, just get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head, soothing and healing the inflamed, swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief.

Ah! how good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear, no more hawking, snuffling, blowing; no more headache, dryness or struggling for breath. Ely's Cream Balm is just what sufferers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight.

HOLD MEETING

The Ladies Aid society of the First Methodist church held a meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. Childs, on Washington avenue.

IS CANDIDATE

C. E. Allen, cashier of the Bank of Richmond was initiated into Twilight Lodge of Odd Fellows at its meeting in Fraternal hall last evening.

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We are showing a wonderful assortment of new Coats. Swagger styles in all the new shades, including both light and dark.

Smart garments for general wear—made of velours, wool poplins, serges, covert cloth, jerseys and zebeline. They are all rather loose and full, some with belts, some with slash pockets and large double collars. Colors—gold, old rose, navy, tan, biscuit, sport plaids, black and Copenhagen.

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Extraordinary pretty models for the new season. Suits that radiate quality and style. Smart sport plaids, French serges, black-and-white plaids of all sizes. In every instance these suits represent the utmost in quality at the price asked.
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CRACKSMEN BLOW UP BANK FOR REGULAR ATMOSPHERE IN PLAY

It is an old saying that there is honor, even among thieves. In the peculiar code of the underworld the one great unforgivable crime is the double-crossing, or betrayal, of a pal. Around this fact there has been written a fascinating combination of comedy and drama called "A Girl Like That," a Famous Players-Paramount production in which Irene Fenwick and Owen Moore are co-stars. It is the attraction at the T. & D. Richmond Theater Friday and Saturday.

Nell Gordon is the daughter of the head of a gang of bank burglars who does not approve of her father's bizarre occupation but loves him so devotedly that she risks everything to be of service to him. When one of the members of the gang locates a bank in the country which he believes to be "rich picking," he attempts to cultivate the good graces of the cashier, but finding that he is unapproachable—and irreproachable—he informs old Gordon that it is a job for a girl to tackle. Nell is sent to the town with instructions to get the combination of that safe, no matter by what means she does so.

GIANT STAR WHO HAS SIGNED A CONTRACT

Dave Robertson, the Giants' heavy hitting right fielder, met McGraw in N. Y. by appointment Saturday night and had a long talk regarding his salary for this year. Robertson was the only regular who had not climbed aboard the band wagon. But McGraw handled him with diplomacy. Robertson finally affixing his signature to a new agreement. Robertson will leave next Friday for Marlin with Heinie Zimmerman, the crack third baseman, and Secretary John B. Foster.

GRAND PRESIDENT FETED THIS EVENING

Final preparations have been completed by the officers and members of Richmond Parlor Native Daughters for the reception of Grand President Mrs. Mamie T. Carmachael of San Jose at Pythian hall this evening. The early part of the evening will be taken up with a business meeting to be followed with a short program and a banquet.

The evening's affair will commence sharply at 7:00 o'clock.

PAST GRAND OFFICER OF ELKS WILL BE AN HONORED GUEST MONDAY

Howard French, newly elected exalted ruler of Richmond lodge of Elks together with other officers of the lodge and a large number of the members will go to Alameda Monday night to attend a reception to Past Grand District Deputy James Shanley.

Arrangements for the trip are being made by Secretary J. P. Arnold of the lodge.

EIGHT FAMILIES WILL ASSIST DECORATING SAN PABLO CHURCH ALTAR

Six San Pablo families have signified their intentions of aiding Rev. Father Joseph Porta in his beautifying of St. Paul's Catholic church. The persons planning to aid in the purchase of candlesticks for the church altar are, Mrs. Barbara Miller, Mrs. H. Birdsthette, Joseph Aguiar, Mary Santolin, John Sanford and Frank Regello.

RHEEM ELECTED HEAD OF STANDARD OIL CO. AT MEETING YESTERDAY

Directors of the Standard Oil company of California held their last meeting in Richmond yesterday, at which time they elected new officers for the year. Future meetings will be held in San Francisco.

At the meeting yesterday D. G. Scofield, president of the board was elected to a newly created position that of chairman of the board of directors while W. S. Rheem was made president of the company. Other officers chosen are, K. R. Kingsbury, vice-president; W. S. Miller, vice-president; F. H. Hillman, vice-president and director of producing; P. J. Hanna, treasurer and director of manufacturing, and H. M. Storey, secretary and director of pipe lines.

OPERATED ON

James Towers, Jr., popular Masonic member of this city and well known employe of the Santa Fe company underwent an operation at the Morton hospital in San Francisco yesterday for appendicitis.

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CHERRY'S Oakland store for ladies is at 515 13th St.; the men's at 528 13th St.

CHERRY'S downtown San Francisco store is at 48 and 52 Geary between Kearny and Grant Ave. with the men's department on the main floor.

The Mission store is at 2400 Mission St.—Advt.

LABOR WHIST PARTY

Grocery orders will be awarded as prizes at the whist party which the Central Labor Council will hold in Polytechnic hall tomorrow evening.

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At the present high prices of meat it pays to buy the best. The meats we handle are famous for quality.

Give us an order for your Sunday Roast.

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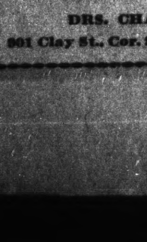
ATTENTION!

All members of the Y. L. I. and Y. M. I. are requested to attend the annual communion which is to take place at the St. Mark's church Sunday morning, March 11th. 3-9-2t

How to Get Well



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DIAMOND NOTES

What chance has a busher to win a regular berth in the Pacific Coast league?

Oscar Vitt quit the semi-pro ranks to join the Seals and became a star overnight. "Ping" Bodie and Louis Guesto did likewise. Other players may have duplicated their feats, but the bushers who "got by" in the P. C. L. without any professional experience are few and far between.

ROD TOO FAST

Foreman Howard had the Oaks on the road bright and early yesterday morning at Boyes Springs and led them on a ten-mile hike. Rod Murphy who was appointed pace-maker, has been fired from that job, as the peppery third-sacker almost killed some of our best little athletes. Murphy had the jump on the others by reporting at the springs early in February, and he made 'em climb every hill in the immediate vicinity of the camp. None of the boys wanted to "dog" it, and they followed Murphy wherever he led. Howard finally got wise to what was coming off when some of his hired men pulled up lame, so this morning Del led the bunch in person.

ARLETT MUST WORK

"Pop" Arlett, must work his old salary wing to death if he wants to receive "coffee and" money from the management of the Oaks, this year because of the close competition which some of the veterans are making.

When such fellows as "Bill" Burns get down to training to get on the salary list of a team in the Pacific Coast League it means that new arrivals like Arlett must do some tall maneuvering.

TO PLAY HERE

"Babe" Driscoll, former player on the Martinez nine has been signed by Manager Bert Curry of the Richmond Elks to play left field for that aggregation against the Chicago Cubs who visit this city on the afternoon of Tuesday, March 13.

PHOTOGRAPHS ARE CAUSE OF GUESSING

Charley Lind, expert photographer of the DeLuxe studio, on Macdonald avenue near Sixth street, has arranged a novel window of photographs for Easter.

Several of the photos are covered at the present time and will be opened just before Easter. Just who the pictures are, Lind will not say other than they are prominent Richmond people.

ALUMINUM WARE IS FULLY DEMONSTRATED

A demonstration of aluminum utinsils was given at the home of Mrs. Parr, 35 Fifteenth street yesterday by Hill Howes of the Wear-ever Aluminum company.

Those present were Mrs. C. Hale, Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Percy Jarrett, Mrs. Fanny Jarrett, Mrs. L. Eggers, Mrs. Stratton, Mrs. Tyler, Mrs. R. Cook, Mrs. Peigne, Miss Edna Hale, Mrs. G. Malianna, and Mrs. Parr.

ODD FELLOWS GIVEN A SURPRISE PARTY

Eclipse lodge of Odd Fellows in session at Bank hall last evening was tendered a surprise in the way of a visit by the members of Zephyr lodge of Rebekahs.

Each visitor brought with her, cake and sandwiches, which resulted in the affair ending in an informal banquet.

VISIT HERE

Professor Jollain of San Francisco, eminent violinist and Miss Aemelia Maytorena, also a talented violin player were visitors at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Cundiff, 1415 Nevin avenue last evening.

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LOCAL MENTION

Pertinent remarks about well-known People in Richmond Happenings about Town

CALLED AWAY

S. H. Poage was called to New Mexico last evening by the serious illness of his father at that place.

MOVE TO POINT

Mr. and Mrs. Tupper of Pullman have moved to their new home on the west side.

HOLD JOLLY PARTY

An enjoyable card party was held by the members of the Civic Center club at the Richmond clubhouse Wednesday afternoon. Prizes were won by Mrs. Shirtliff, Mrs. James Arnold, Mrs. Harry Hayes and Mrs. Silvester. In charge of the afternoon's affair was Mrs. J. G. Gerlach.

ENTERTAINS

Mrs. George Riggs, proved a charming hostess to the members of the Maccabee club at her home on the west side yesterday afternoon. Those present were Mesdames, Church, Stoddard, Theis, Grover, Ledgerwood, Martin, Woodworth, Carron, Matthews, Creason, Downs, Wunderlich, Foster, Spare, Mahoney, Black, Laufler and Parker.

GOES HOME

John Carrol of Giant, was removed from the Craven hospital to his home last evening.

AT SALT LAKE

William Timmons, former resident of this city is making his home in Salt Lake city.

NEW BUILDING

A new building is to be erected for the Richmond garage at the corner of Seventh and Chanslor avenue. The company is located at the present time at the corner of Second street and Macdonald avenue. Architect J. B. Ogborn is preparing the plans for the new structure.

NAME COMMITTEE

A social committee consisting of Mrs. Phil Barry, chairman; Mrs. O. J. Ripley, Miss Ida Hansen and Mrs. Tyler Trowbridge was named by Onetah Council Degree of Pocahontas for the month.

START WORK

Work on the new warehouse opposite the S. P. depot for the Hunt-Hatch Commission company was started today by the contracting firm of Jones and Trowbridge of this city.

NEW UNIFORMS

The new uniforms for the Martinez fire department were received by the fire laddies yesterday morning. The suits differ from those worn by other departments in that they are made of a waterproof khaki colored material.

IS ILL

Miss Eleanor Costello, of Stege is reported to be seriously ill at her home at Stege.

Don't Forget to insert that little Want Ad that you had in mind—get it in to-morrow's paper

WATERFRONT NOTES

NEW STEAMER

The steamer Zinfandel, of the Napa Valley Steamship Co., which docks occasionally at the Ferry Point wharves enroute from San Francisco to Vallejo will make her first trip tomorrow under her new master Captain E. O. Walton.

TUG CHANGES

Captain John A. Hackey is the new master on the Santa Fe tug Ripley, one of the smartest towing crafts on the bay. Captain Hackey, piloted his new charge from San Francisco to the company's Ferry Point wharves on three trips yesterday and each time showed clever navigating skill by docking his charges with great rapidity.

TO COME HERE

The bark C. D. Bryant is expected to arrive at the Santa Fe docks the first part of next week with a cargo of lumber for Newman.

BIGGEST SHIP IN

One of the biggest vessels to dock at a Richmond wharf in many years is the Standard Oil company's Standard Arrow. Some idea of the vessel's carrying capacity may be gained from the fact that she is capable of holding the cargo of 450 tank cars. The D. G. Scofield of the white "S" fleet which is moored at the company's long wharf looks small alongside the Arrow and the Scofield is quite a large ship herself.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

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Instruments Recorded March 6, 1917

Delmazzi Tezzi to Guispe Bergino. Mtge. $800. No note. Lot 24 & N. ½ Lot 25 Blk 21, Henderson Tapscott Tract No. 1.

H. W. Murray to Charles Colombo. Deed $10. Lots 11 12 Blk 41, North Berkeley Terrace.

T. R. Shanks, Admr. Estate Colin Shanks, dec'd to Frank Miller. Sat. Mtge. Lot 31 Blk 9, Amd. Map iCty Richmond.

C. A. Ornbaun to J. H. Green. Deed $10. Lots 18 19 Blk 14, North Berkeley Terrace.

Anton Simonini to Frank Simonini. Mtge. $600 2 yrs. 6% S. ½ Lot 13, Blk 15, Boulevard Gardens Tract No. 1.

Richmond Annex Land Co. to Marie T. Blanchard. Deed $10. oLt 32 Blk 38, Richmond Annex.

Jonas Frankford to R. M. Gignoux Deed $10. Lots 1 2 3 4 8 Blk 6, Bay View Park.

Joseph Arthur & Gertrude Waldy to Clark A. Cain. Deed $10. Lot 39 Blk 116, Amd. Map City Richmond.

Harry F. Leinz to Donly Gray Orchards Co. Deed $10. Lots 3 4 Blk 8, Martha Washington Tract.

Henry & Mary Weber to John Pagliere. Deed $10. Lots 27 28 Blk 3, Amd. Map Rivers Andrade Tract.

J. E. Schram to M. T. Viera. Rel. Mtge. Lots 28 29 Blk 32, Amd. Map City Richmond.

Amelia Janowska to Simon Phillips. Deed $10. Lots 28 29 Blk 32, Amd. Map City Richmond.

W. H. Spaulding to Effie C. Sheehag. Deed $10. Lot 26 Blk 31, Spaulding Richmond Townsite.

MINNEAPOLIS GIRL IS A PARTY GUEST

Miss Esther Carlson of Minneapolis, who is visiting in this city for a few days was the guest of honor at a prettily arranged card party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Spiersch on the west side Wednesday evening.

A program of musical and literary numbers was followed with cards the winners for which were Mrs. H. Rabont, Mrs. Thiel, E. Reid, and G. Schramm.

DISTRICT DEPUTY TO PAY VISIT TO O. E. S. CHAPTER THIS EVENING

Acantha Chapter Order of the Eastern Star will receive Mrs. Elizibeth Gnaga, district deputy on her official visit to the chapter at its meeting in Bank Hall tonight.

As this is always an important meeting, a good attendance is expected of both officers and members. After the business session a banquet will be served by a committee under the supervision of Mrs. Emma Topping.

POLICE BILL VOTED AGAINST BY CALAHAN

(Special to Record-Herald)

SACRAMENTO, March 9. — Assemblyman W. E. Calahan of Contra Cost county was among the 45 assemblyment to vote against the Doran bill, directed against the third degree methods as used by police departments in an effort to obtain confessions from prisoners.

FOUR DIRECTORS TO BE RE-ELECTED AT ELECTION MONDAY

Four directors of the Stege Sanitary District will be re-elected to office at an election to be held Monday. It is estimated that about 100 votes will be cast at the election. The polling places will be at Davis Hall, El Cerrito and the Davis store, Stege Junction.

The directors to be re-elected are George Conlon, H. F. Davis, F. H. Wright and William Rust.

ELKS PREPARE FOR CONCORD INN FEAST

Elks of Martinez and Richmond will gather at the Concord Inn tomorrow evening at which time a smoker and general get-together meeting will be held.

The affair is being arranged by Manager D. H. Chambers of the hotel who promises a unique and chacker-jack entertainment for the evening.

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Legs of Fall Lamb, per lb. ---- 22½c

Prime Rib or Loin Roast, lb. ---- 20c

Shoulder Roast, per lb. ---- 15c

Prime Rib or Loin Lamb Chops—ped pound ---- 22½c

LARD

Pure Rendered Lard, lb. 22½c

Lard Compound, per lb 17½c

BACON

Eastern Sugar Cured Bacon, 8-lb. average, by the whole or half strip, per pound ---- 27c

BEEF

Choice No. 1 Steer Beef Quality

Round Steaks, per lb ---- 18½c

Sirloin or Tenderloin Steaks—per pound ---- 20c

Prime Standard Roast—per pound ---- 18c and 20c

Rolled Shoulder Roast—per pound ---- 16c and 17½c

Choice Cut Shoulder Roast—per pound ---- 15c

Shoulder Pot Roast, per lb. ---- 14c

Rib Boiling Beef or Sugar Cured Corned Beef **12½c lb**

POULTRY

Fresh Dressed Fancy California TURKEYS, per pound ---- 32½c

Wild Rabbits, each ---- 25c

Fresh Dressed Squabs—each ---- 25c and 30c

Fresh Dressed Belgian Hares—per pound ---- 25c

VEAL

Choice Small Milk Calves

Legs of Veal, per lb. 17½c

Veal Shoulder Roast or Breast of Veal ---- **15c lb**

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